

faculty awards

Congratulations to the faculty in the Department of Medicine for their achievements and contributions during 2010-11, including the following awards and honors:

Teaching and Mentoring Awards

Louise Aronson, MD, MFA
Excellence in Teaching Award, Haile T. Debas Academy of Medical Educators, 2010
Cooke Award, Haile T. Debas Academy of Medical Educators, 2011

Caroline Behler, MD
Excellence in Teaching Award, Haile T. Debas Academy of Medical Educators, 2010

Ann Bolger, MD
Clinical Teaching Excellence Award, UCSF School of Medicine

Brad Hare, MD
Sarlo Award for Excellence in Teaching, UCSF AIDS Research Institute, 2010

Diane Havlir, MD
ARI Award for Outstanding Mentoring, UCSF AIDS Research Institute, 2010

Peter Chin-Hong, MD, MAS
Essential Core Teaching Award Excellence in Small Group Teaching, UCSF School of Medicine Class of 2013

Priscilla Hsue, MD
Resident Research Mentoring Award, UCSF Department of Medicine

Mallory O. Johnson, PhD
Distinction In Mentoring Award, Academic Senate, 2011

Jeff Kohlwes, MD, MPH
Excellence in Teaching Award, Haile T. Debas Academy of Medical Educators, 2011

Richard M. Locksley, MD
Essential Core Teaching Award Excellence in Small Group Teaching, UCSF School of Medicine Class of 2013

Kent Olson, MD
Excellence in Teaching Award, Haile T. Debas Academy of Medical Educators, 2010

Radhika Ramanan, MD, MPH
Excellence in Teaching Award, Haile T. Debas Academy of Medical Educators, 2010

F. Joseph Roll, MD
Floyd C. Rector Jr., Housestaff Teaching Award, UCSF Department of Medicine

Dean Schillinger, MD
SF Bay Area Clinical Research Mentor Award, 2010, UCSF Department of Epidemiology

Karen Seal, MD, MPH
Excellence in Teaching Award, Haile T. Debas Academy of Medical Educators, 2010

Hilary K. Seligman, MD, MAS
Essential Core Teaching Award Excellence in Small Group Teaching, UCSF School of Medicine Class of 2013

Brad Sharpe, MD
Teaching Award, UCSF School of Medicine, Class of 2013

Michael Wilkes, MD
Excellence in Teaching Award, Haile T. Debas Academy of Medical Educators, 2010

Brie Williams, MD, and Kala Mehta, DSc, MPH (co-winners)
Mentor of the Year Award, Medical School Training in Aging Research, UCSF

External Awards, Honorary Degrees

Louise Aronson, MD, MFA
Edward D. Harris Professionalism Award, Alpha Omega Alpha Honor Medical Society

Ann Bolger, MD
Distinguished Achievement Award, Council on Clinical Cardiology, American Heart Association

Shaun Coughlin, MD, PhD
Distinguished Career Award, International Society on Thrombosis and Haemostasis

Binh Diep, PhD
50th ICAAC Young Investigator Award, American Society of Microbiology

Ephraim P. Engleman, MD
Proclamation from Governor – Celebrating 100th Birthday Edmund G. Brown, Jr., Governor, State of California

Mitch Feldman, MD, MPhil
Fulbright Research Fellowship

Peter Ganz, MD
Credited for initiating the field of Human Endothelial Biology in Cardiology, European Heart Journal

Nora Goldschlager, MD
Hospital Provider of the Year, SF Paramedic Association

Peter W. Hunt, MD
HIV Research Award, HIV Medicine Association, Infectious Diseases Society of America

Talmadge E. King, Jr., MD
Elected member, American Academy of Arts and Sciences

David Irby, PhD
Karolinska Institutet Prize, Research in Medical Education, 2010 Karolinska Institutet

Cindy Lai, MD
Clinician Educator Award, Society of General Internal Medicine, 2010

Seth Landefeld, MD
Robert Glaser Award, Society of General Internal Medicine

Mark Looney, MD
Jean Julliard Award International Society of Blood Transfusion

Gregory M. Marcus, MD, MAS
American Heart Association Samuel Levine Young Clinical Investigator

Robert A. Nissenson, PhD
2010 Shirley Hohl Service Award, American Society for Bone and Mineral

Robert Nussbaum, MD
2011 Klaus Joachim Zülch Neuroscience Prize, Gertrud Reemtsma Foundation

Steven Pantilat, MD
2011 Leadership Award, James Irvine Foundation

Carmen A. Peralta, MD, MAS
2010 Herbert W. Nickens Faculty Fellowship Award, American Association of Medical Colleges

Rita Redberg, MD, MSc
Red Dress Award, 2011, Woman's Day Magazine

Sriram Shamasunder, MD
Young Physician of the Year, American College of Physicians, 2010

Paul Simpson, MD
Thomas Smith Memorial Lecturer, American Heart Association, 2010

Bob Wachter, MD
Master, Society of Hospital Medicine
10th Most Influential Physician-Executive in the United States, Modern Physician

100 Most Powerful People in Healthcare, Modern Healthcare
Eric Neilson Distinguished Professor Award, Association of Specialty Professors of Medicine
Fulbright Scholar

Eric Widera, MD
2011 Cunniff-Dixon Physician Award, Hastings Center

Eric Widera, MD & Alexander K. Smith, MD, MS, MPH
Best Clinical Weblog, medGadget

David Wofsy, MD
Klempere Award and Medal, New York Academy of Medicine

Public Service Committees, Boards, Societies, Associations & Publications

Bobby Baron, MD, MS
Co-Chair, Accreditation Review Committee, Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education

Andrei Goga, MD, PhD
American Society of Clinical Investigation

Chi-yuan Hsu, MD, MSc
American Society of Clinical Investigation

Mary Whooley, MD
*American Society of
Clinical Investigation*

Rita Redberg, MD, MSc
*Learning Healthcare
Committee,
Institute of Medicine
President's Council
of Cornell Women
Three Congressional hearings
on medical devices:*

*House of Representatives –
Energy and Commerce
House of Representatives –
Oversight Committee
Senate – Aging*

Margaret Tempero, MD
*Board of Trustees, 2011-2013,
University of San Francisco
Expert Review Team, 2011,
Canadian Institutes
of Health Research*

Bob Wachter, MD
*Chair-Elect, American Board
of Internal Medicine*

Talmadge E. King, Jr., MD
*Secretary/Treasurer, American
Board of Internal Medicine
Board of Directors,
National Committee for
Quality Assurance*

Steven A. Schroeder, MD
*Board of Directors,
Mathematica Policy Research*

Matthias Hebrok, PhD
*Cellular Aspects of Diabetes
and Obesity Study Section*

Patricia A. Cornett, MD
*Captain, 2012,
USA Curtis Cup Team*

Bree Johnston, MD, MPH
*Subspecialty Board
on Geriatric Medicine, American
Board of Internal Medicine*

Endowed Chairs

Yerem Yeghiazarians, MD
*Leone-Perkins Family Endowed
Chair in Cardiology*

Stephen Morin, PhD
*Walter Gray Endowed Chair
in HIV/AIDS Science*

Suneil Koliwad, MD, PhD
*Gerold Grodsky, PhD/JAB Chair
in Diabetes Research*

Neil Shah, MD, PhD
*Edward A. Ageo
Distinguished Professorship in
Hematology/Oncology*

UCSF Awards and Appointments

Paul Nadler, MD
*Exceptional Physician Award,
UCSF Medical Center, 2011*

Jeff Kohlwes, MD, MPH
*Alpha Omega Alpha,
Honor Medical Society,
UCSF School of Medicine
Class of 2011*

Gaetan (Guy) Micco, MD
*Alpha Omega Alpha,
Honor Medical Society,
UCSF School of Medicine
Class of 2011*

Brad Sharpe, MD
*The Haile T. Debas Academy
of Medical Educators*

Tony Bass, MD, PhD
*Gold Headed Cane Society,
UCSF*

Jeff Critchfield, MD
*John F. Murray Award,
SFGH Medical Services, 2011*

Dan Wlodarczyk, MD
*Jane Bailowitz Award,
SFGH Medical Services, 2011*

Lisa Murphy, MD
*Subspecialist Consultant
of the Year Award,
SFGH Medical Services, 2011*

Sheri Weiser, MD
*Burke Global Health
Faculty Award, CTSI &
UCSF Global Health Sciences*

Louise Aronson, MD, MFA
*Director,
Pathways to Discovery*

Read Pierce, MD
*Director,
Hospital Medicine, VAMC*

Calvin Chou, MD, PhD
*Academy Chair,
Scholarship of Teaching
and Learning*

Carl Grunfeld, MD, PhD
*Associate Chief of Staff,
Research and Development,
VAMC*

Henry (Chip) Chambers, MD
*Chair, Clinical Research
and Field Studies, Infectious
Diseases Study Section*

staff awards

Chancellor's Award for Exceptional University Service

Jep Poon, nephrology division administrator at San Francisco General Hospital, and **Suzanne Sutton**, controller and director of research administration for the Department of Medicine, received the Chancellor's Award for Exceptional University Service last May. Poon, a 25-year member of the UCSF

community, was recognized for her outstanding efforts to serve more than 2,000 dialysis patients at SFGH. Sutton, a 13-year UCSF employee, was recognized for her creativity and innovations in improving research administration processes.



Jep Poon (left) and Suzanne Sutton with Chancellor Susan Desmond-Hellmann

Holly Smith Award for Exceptional Service to the School of Medicine

Vivian Robinson, residency program assistant, received the Holly Smith Award in June. Established in 2000, the award recognizes exceptional career service resulting in broad and



From left: School of Medicine Dean Sam Hawgood; Vivian Robinson; fellow award-winner Dr. Diana Farmer, surgeon-in-chief of UCSF Benioff Children's Hospital; and Dr. Holly Smith.

long-lasting benefit to the School of Medicine, and is named for Lloyd Hollingsworth ("Holly") Smith, Jr., former chair of the Department of Medicine and associate dean emeritus of the UCSF School of Medicine. Robinson was praised for her tireless dedication to supporting residents, and her excellent problem-solving abilities. ■

ucsf medal

Marvin H. Sleisenger, MD, emeritus professor of medicine and distinguished physician, Department of Veterans Affairs, was awarded the UCSF Medal, the University's highest honor. He was recognized for his exceptional role over the past four decades in improving the care of veterans, expanding and strengthening UCSF's overall academic programs, and leadership in the discipline of gastroenterology.

Sleisenger received his medical degree from Harvard Medical School, and served in the U.S. Navy Medical Corps during the Korean War. In 1968, he was recruited as chief of the medical service at the San Francisco Veterans Affairs Medical Center (SFVAMC) and vice chair of the UCSF Department of Medicine. Under his imaginative and sustained leadership, the SFVAMC developed a vigorous and internationally respected biomedical research program, and has become one of the most acclaimed academic institutions among the 155 hospitals in the national VA system. ■



Dr. Marvin Sleisenger with Chancellor Susan Desmond-Hellmann